Vote No. 183

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ROBERTS NOMINATION/District Judge

SUBJECT: Nomination of Victoria A. Roberts, of Michigan, to be a United States District Judge for the Eastern District of Michigan. Confirmation.

ACTION: NOMINATION CONFIRMED, 85-0

SYNOPSIS: Victoria A. Roberts was born November 25, 1951, in Detroit, Michigan. She received a B.A. from the University of Michigan in 1973, and a J.D. from Northeastern University School of Law in 1976. Her employment history includes the following: 1976-1977, Research Attorney, Michigan Court of Appeals; 1977-1983, Associate then Shareholder, Lewis, White, Clay, & Graves, P.C.; 1983-1985, Senior Litigation Attorney, American Motors Corporation; 1985-1988, Assistant U.S. Attorney; 1988-present, Associate, then Partner, then Managing Partner, Goodman, Eden, Millender, & Bedrosian.

Those favoring confirmation contended:

Victoria Roberts has built an impressive professional resume, as managing partner for Detroit's Goodman, Eden, Millender, & Bedrosian, as an Assistant United States Attorney, and as the president of the State Bar of Michigan. She has also taken a long and active interest in several community organizations that have greatly benefitted Metropolitan Detroit. We are certain that she will serve well on the Federal bench, and are pleased to vote in favor of confirmation.

No arguments were expressed in opposition to confirmation.

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